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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Koichi KAMIJO et al.
Serial No. : Unassigned Examiner : Unassigned
Filed : Herewith Art Unit : Unassigned
For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EMBEDDING
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN VIDEO DATA

February 27, 2001

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Preliminary to the examination thereof, please amend the above-identified
application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 1-14 without prejudice.

Please add the following new claims:

--15. A system for embedding additional information in video data, said system
comprising:
means for detecting a video frame in the video data;
means for extracting data for a small domain from said detected video frame and
for buffering said data;